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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2612

TAKAHASHI

Examiner: Lin Ye

Serial No.: 09/426,991

REQUEST FOR A ONE-MONTH  
EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Applicant, through his attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on July 8, 2003, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from October 8, 2003 to November 10, 2003.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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